

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q88123

Kenji MATSUDA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/537,462

Group Art Unit: 1617

Confirmation No.: 4737

Examiner: Layla Soroush

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For: PROPOFOL-CONTAINING FAT EMULSIONS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

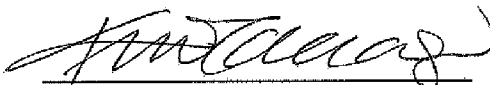
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Final Office Action dated December 1, 2006, from March 1, 2007 to June 1, 2007.

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